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1. Austrian firms attempting to do business with Switzerland are sending price lists of available products, especially of German-made products stocked in Austria, to various Swiss firms.
2. The French are reported to be taking advantage of their mail censorship facilities by making copies of the Austrian lists, which are then passed on to the French commercial and technical authorities in Germany. A few days later, the Swiss firms which received lists from the Austrians receive a list from the French offering the same items at prices 30 percent lower.

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